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Girls' Hall

Gymnasium

Main Building

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(Deaf, Blind and Backward Children)

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JACK McKELLIP	Colony Boys' Supervisor
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J. A. DONOVAN, M. D.	Oculist and Aurist
C. M. EDDY, D. D. S.	Dentist

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(Teachers and Officers)

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MRS. H. N. WILSON	Night Watch

NEW BUILDING

MRS. IDA LYTLE	Head Supervisor
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MISS MAY SHANNAN	Girls' Supervisor

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the Honorable State Board of Education:

Agreeable to your requirements, I am herewith submitting to you the twenty-seventh annual report of the Montana School for the Deaf and Blind, including the Department for Backward People.

ATTENDANCE

The school, during the past year is the largest in its history. There were eighty-five deaf, twenty-five blind and one hundred forty-three backward, making a total of 253.

SCHOOL WORK--DEAF DEPARTMENT

In the Deaf department, we are trying to improve along all lines but especially our lip-reading and speech. All pupils of the three younger classes are strictly oral and in the others as much oral work is done as can be without sacrificing time which should be given to gaining knowledge of regular grade subjects.

From this department we graduated, in June, three from the eight grade and one from the high school.

BLIND DEPARTMENT

In this department, we have worked much as in former years. However, our little folk here are growing up and as a result our music, especially, shows up better, since the foundation work is largely done and we can now show some of the results of the hard preparatory work. In this department we graduated one from the high school and gave him a certificate of Piano tuning.

Here, too, in conjunction with the Vocational Board of Rehabilitation, we have given work, independent of our regular classes, to three blind men. One came in very late and we could do little. But one has learned to read and write Braille, run a typewriter, play the piano, sing, and make hammocks. The other has done the same but has not yet completed his piano tuning. All, however, have done well.

BACKWARD DEPARTMENT

In the school class of this department, we have progressed very satisfactorily. They are learning something in a literary way, up to perhaps, the fifth grade, are doing nice work in simple music and splendid manual work, such as sewing, fancy work, basketry, rug weaving, etc. This class has eighty pupils. In the Custodial building we have forty. These do little except to care for themselves and they have done this to a surprising degree,

At the Ranch colony we have twenty-three pupils. Some are learning dairying, some general farming, including teaming, some chicken and stock raising, some gardening, and some can learn little except to do very simple chores. All are happy and contented. But we need more room for all three of these classes for the applicants are becoming very insistent.

DISCIPLINE

Discipline with us is ordinarily a simple matter. Practically no corporal punishment is used. If there is disobedience we take away, temporarily, some privilege, such as the picture show.

HEALTH

The health of our family has been fairly good. In the fall of 1921 we had a few cases of Spanish influenza, one of which developed into pneumonia and after seven weeks, died. In the spring of 1922, Alastrim broke out, and while this quarantined us for nine weeks and about seventy-five of the pupils had the disease, yet none of them were seriously sick. One feeble-minded boy, who was afflicted with epilepsy, got hold of a bottle of marking ink and drank some before the supervisor could stop him. While we did everything possible, he died in ten minutes.

FIRE DRILLS

The fire drill are counted a lark. We have the big Kirker Bender fire escapes, and the youngsters are highly delighted whenever we have a drill.

THE RANCH

We need more good land, for at present we have to buy much of our feed. We also hope for a silo and are raising sunflowers to fill it. Our crops have never looked better and we hope for a big yield.

During the spring, hog-cholera broke out among our hogs but we administered the anti-hog cholera serum and saved about half of our pigs. Later we tested the cows for tuberculoses. All but one showed no reaction and the one we killed. We believe we have as fine a herd of Holsteins as there is in the State. Twenty-nine cows have been producing eight hundred and eighty-two pound of milk per day.

NEEDS

Somethings we should have this year without fail. One is a new roof for the half of the main building, known as building "B." We have tried to repair this but the slate is so rotten that we do more damage than good. It is leaking in a number of places and threatens to spoil our plastering and floors.

We have a promising crop of sunflowers and should have a silo to put them in. This will help solve our feed problem. These two things we can hardly get along without.

We should also have a linotype for our present arrangement is expensive in time and money.

A green house would help cut our food cost and keep our people, both employees and pupils more contented and more healthy, besides giving us a chance to teach the care of a green house to some of our boys.

A new floor in the deaf and blind kitchen is another necessity. The old one is of concrete and is badly worn. It is very hard for the cooks to stand on this all day.

If these can be taken care of, our buildings will be in good shape again.

The value of the land and property belonging to the school may be summoned up as follows:

Lands, buildings and improvements	\$ 401,837.57
Building A (Main)	\$45,000.00
Building B (Additoin to A)	32,900.00
Building C (Manual Training)	24,500.00
Building D (Power House and Laundry)	9,000.00
Building E (Barn and Sheds)	1,500.00
Building G (Girls' Hall)	42,500.00
Building O (Old Carpenter Shop)	300.00
Building H (Hospital)	15,000.00
Building I (Dairy Barn)	3,200.00
*Building J (Old Barn)	
*Building R (Ranch House)	
*Building S (New Horse Barn)	
*Building T (Refrigerating Plant)	
*Building U (Slaughter House)	
420 Acres of Land—Ranch	18,453.00
Spur	2,690.24
Addition to Ranch House	10,026.30
Building F (F. M. Building)	87,230.77
New Bridge, Boulder river	8,138.24
Root Cellar and Garage (Not complete)	1 564.77
Dormitory F. M.	7,720.65

Furniture and Equipment:

A. Building	5,630.00
B. Building	4,525.00

*Value of these buildings included in 420 acres of land.

Above are the estimates of Messrs. Milligan and Menzemer.

C. Building	1,875.00
D. Building	1,337.50
E. Building	187.50
F. Building	10,000.00
G. Building	1,225.90
J. Building	75.00
R. Building	262.50
Farm Machinery and Sheds	515.00
Water Works System	6,000.00
Water Works at Ranch	2,800.00

Laundry	5,761.05
Coal Scales	827.73
Concrete Mixer	290.00
Separator—Ranch	187.32
Motor—Ranch	125.00
Pump—Power House	490.00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Interest on State Warrants	69.94
Cash Receipts	8,261.48
Claims Pending	13,268.31
Deposits for Children	975.15
Appropriation Land	10,000.00
Investment	413,335.22
Interest & Income fund	14,163.67
Appropriation	\$114,957.00

Auto Oakland	\$ 1,080.95	
Bridge	8,138.24	
Cash in Bank	3,740.86	
Cash in Office	3,004.14	
Concrete Mixer	290.00	
Dormitory—Ranch	10,026.30	
Dormitory—F. M. 2	57,720.65	
Dry Goods	4,574.01	
Equipment	31,918.77	
Expenditures in Cash	5,214.76	
Freight, Travel, Express & Tel.	4,703.60	
Fuel & Light	12,719.69	
Food Supplies	13,913.22	
Garden & Farm	5,612.55	
Household Supplies & Furniture	5,811.98	
Insurance	4,331.66	
Lands & Buildings	281,417.90	
Live Stock	7,125.00	
Motor—Ranch	126.30	
Pump	490.00	
Root Cellar & Garage	1,728.38	
Repairs & Replacements	2,415.10	
Separator—Ranch	187.32	
Coal Scales	827.73	
Salaries & Wages	53,988.36	
Spur	2,690.24	
State Treasurer—Special Fund	4,791.23	
State Treasurer	28,105.05	
Treasurer—Land	10,000.00	
Cow Barn	4,775.00	
School & Industrial	3,561.78	
	\$ 575,030.77	\$ 575,030.77

In conclusion I wish to thank the Board for its continued courtesy and interest.

Respectfully submitted,

H. J. MENZEMER, President



President's Residence and Hospital

PRINTING OFFICE REPORT

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

I have the honor to herewith submit the following report for the year, July, 1, 1921 to July, 1, 1922.

The following jobs were turned out in the printing office.

Blanks, Fire Insurance	100
Blanks, Botany, Name, Found, What Flowers, etc.....	250
Copies of the Twenty-sixth Annual Report, 24 pages, cover and pictures for each all bound	503
Copies of the "Rocky Mountain Leader" 12 to 16 pages with covers from Oct. 1921 to March, 1922	2235
Copies of the "Montana Trainer" three column, four pages from Oct. 1921 to March, 1922	1275
Copies of the Year Books, 20 pages aud covers each, all bound (1921-1922)	125
Daily Attendance Cards, printed and punched	450
Inventory Cards	600
Labeled Small Envelopes	4025
Labeled Large Envelopes	3100
Laundry Lists	6850
Letters Heads	3000
Mailing Lists	25
Night Watch Blanks	1000
Notices of the Opening and closing of School	225
Notices, Rules of the Bath rooms	40
Posters	100
Requisition Blanks	
Original, printed and punched	1900
Duplicate, printed and punched	1900
Triplicate, printed and punched	1900
Printed pictures on Post cards	200
Postal cards, printed form for the Office	1362
Pupil's Record cards, printed and punched	500
Printed "Finch" 1 to 12 on 12 cards each, 180 per..... package, 9 packages	1620
Programs	1000
Printed, Name, Address and Business on Alphabet	100
Printed, "Merry Xmas from Teachers and Officers" on cards	300
Report Cards	1215
Tags, shipping, printed	500
Test Blanks, 4 pages for Feeble-minded Dep't	500

In miscellaneous job work, such as required exercise in display composition, make ready and press feeding, our book shows we have had many separate and distinct jobs to run through the press, aggregating over 80,000 impressions, several of the jobs being two-color work.

One of our force of half dozen has had practice on linotype work and he has shown good progress with it. The others have, in turn, had press work to do.

Respectfully submitted

E. V. KEMP, Printer

CARPENTER SHOP REPORT

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

As instructor in the Industrial Department, I hereby have the honor to present my annual report of the Carpenter shop for the year ending 1921-1922.

This year, 1922, I had small boys who did not do much in their work. They did not make any large articles but just learned the measurements and the names of tools. We have also made repairs, which are too numerous to mention.

Besides these small repairs we put a new fir floor in the upper story of the garage. Framed all the windows; made new lockers for the State ranch and the Blind boys' dormitory; and built screens around $\frac{1}{2}$ of the porch of President's cottage.

PAINTING

Walls and ceilings of the Girls' Hall, Main building and gymnasium building, to the extent of about 12,500 sq. ft., were painted.

We repainted two tunnels, six swings, sixteen light posts, four hydrants, the cow barn at State Ranch, and four porches.

PLASTERING

Patched about 150 sq. ft of ceilings and walls.

We also glazed windows at the State Ranch, Backward Building, Laundry, Engine House, Main Building, Girls' Hall and Gymnasium Building.

NEW ARTICLES MADE

1 Kitchen table	7 Chart racks
1 Writing table	2 Flower benches
1 Cupboard	2 Lockers
1 Waste basket	1 Medicine cabinet
2 Dish rag racks	1 Tabouret

Respectfully submitted

FRED J. LOW, Instructor.

REPORT OF MUSIC DEPARTMENT

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

I have the honor to submit herewith the following report for the school year to March 31, 1922.

Twenty pupils are studying piano, two violin, seven voice, one xylophone, and two drums.

I do considerable individual work, and find it brings very good results.

Two periods a week are devoted to chorus and fundamentals, and a good deal of interest is shown.

Once or twice a month we have some class recital work, and considerable is gained this in manner in the way of easy bearing.

Respectfully submitted

BESSIE M. SORRELLS, Director.

HAMMOCK AND CHAIR CANNING REPORT

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

Shop Record for year ending, April 1, 1922.

We found it hard to get chairs to cane and were so unfortunate as to get hold of some rotten hammock cord, so did not turn out as much work as we might have.

During this twelve months, we caned five chairs and finished seven hammocks.

Respectfully submitted

J. A. MORRIS.

SEWING ROOM REPORT

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

Will you please accept the following report for the sewing department for the year ending March 31, 1922.

Eight girls have been taught dress-making, and four are very good at it.

Thirty-three pieces of fancy work have been finished and put aside for exhibition.

We have mended all stockings for boys and girls, about 65 pairs a week.

The bigger girls from twelve years up, have done all of their own mending, and most of the mendings for the boys. The little girls do darning, and are learning to sew by making wash cloths, hemming towels, etc. All of the household linen is kept in repair by the girls.

Respectfully submitted

IDA C. HAMILTON

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

I have the honor to submit herewith the following medical report for the year ending March 31, 1922.

There were a considerable number of cases admitted to the hospital, and some treated in the dormitories for the Feeble Minded, but none were at all serious, with one exception. This was the case of a Feeble Minded boy, who had influenza pneumonia, very severe case, which was still in the hospital the last of March.

There were no deaths.

Respectfully submitted

I. A. LEIGHTON, Physician

DENTIST'S REPORT

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

During the year ending March 31, 1922, I have made 93 extractions, 82 examinations, 59 treatments, 34 fillings, 2 temporary fillings and 3 root fillings

Respectfully submitted,

C. M. EDDY, Dentist.

OCULIST'S AND AURIST'S REPORT

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

In submitting my annual report, I wish to say that every child with adenoids or tonsils has been taken care of, with the exception of those whose parents have been unwilling for them to be operated on. The children who were here before have been watched, and their throats cared for as necessary, and those who have come in new have been examined, operated on, or treated, as each case required.

There is the matter of having written permission for any such operations which may be necessary, for each child who is admitted to this institution. It would be better all round, and very much better for the children if we could have such permission. Years' observation in handling school children shows us that any child with adenoids or bad tonsils is retarded because of the defects, and it is not good to be waiting for permission to operate, instead of eliminating the defects as quickly as possible.

All children needing glasses have been taken care of.

I wish to express my thank and appreciation to the local staff physician, the nurse, officers and teachers for their kindly and sympathetic help and treatment of these youngsters.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. DONOVAN, M. D.

RANCH REPORT

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

I have the honor to submit the following report: At the Ranch Colony, twenty-four boys are housed. Many of them are able to do more or less work. With the aid of these "boys" the ranch has produced the following:

Crab apples	41 lbs.	Chickens	1113½ lbs.
Squash	6 only	Turkeys	58 lbs.
SourKroust	3 bbls.	Pork	544 lbs.
Strawberries	1 quart	Tongue, Liver, & Kidneys	95 lbs.
Rape	Hog Pastures 3 acres	Beef	7700 lbs.
Endive	76 lbs	Veal	529½ lbs.
Millet	5 tons	Colts	3
Green Tomatoes	2623¼ lbs	Sunflower	40 tons.
Potatoes	77000 lbs	Oats	250 bu.
Hay	4. tons	Rye	300 bu.
Cabbage	4764½ lbs.	Barley	50 bu.
Cauliflower	209½ lbs.	Hogs (sold)	\$960
Carrots	1517 lbs.	Cows (sold)	\$595
Parsley	29 bunches	Kohl Rabi	55¼ lbs
Beets	2198 lbs.	Spinach	52 lbs.
Beet Greens	89 lbs.	Cucumbers	8 lbs.
Lettuce	835 bunches	Peppers	26 lbs.
Chard	96 lbs.	Peas	81 lbs.
Radishes	230 lbs.	Onions, young	475¼ lbs.
Turkey Eggs	84	Rhubarb	400 lbs.
Eggs	1152 doz.	Rutabagas	1 lbs.
Parsnips	85½ lbs.	Beans	366 lbs.
Butter	46 lbs	Parsley	492 bunches.
Milk	260253 lbs.		

Respectfully submitted,

W. S. McKELLIP, Foreman.

ENGINEER'S REPORT

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

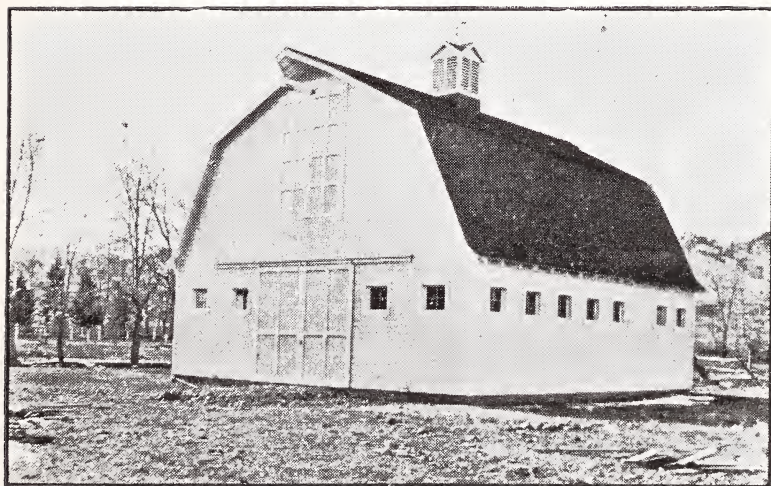
Since my last report we have made very few changes in the Power House. There has been nothing new installed for some few years, but we are replacing pipes continuously. We should do something about softening the water for boiler use, for we have to fight scale continually.

We use both boilers all the time in winter, so that we have no time to clean them in winter.

The well will soon have to be recribbed, for the old planking is beginning to show signs of rot.



State Ranch Dormitory



State Ranch—Horse Barn

We are having considerable trouble keeping the buildings on the north side of the river warm in the extremely cold weather.

The gravity system of return there could be improved.

Everything about the power house is going beautifully. We are somewhat troubled over the way the boilers corrode, and the matter of softening the water is one that will have to be looked after soon.

Respectfully submitted,

V. J. McKINNON, Engineer.

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT FOR BACKWARD CHILDREN

To H. J. Menzemer, President:

I have the honor to submit herewith the twenty-seventh annual report for the department for Backward children. Besides the ordinary sickness incidental to our class of children, we had a number of cases of alastrim (Small Pox.) All made good recovery.

We also had an epidemic of Influenza. It ran thru our entire family, both children and officers. In one case, a boy, we had one fatality. All inmates and officials were treated with medical baths and the whole department was thoroughly fumigated and made sanitary.

Our epileptics have made their usual demands upon us, also our "border line" cases, and each are constantly in need of care and the "Border-line" cases special attention.

The dentist and the aurist and oculist has treated a number of our children.

Our waiting list is still large, and far exceeds our present capacity. We have a number of Delinquents who have records either of unfortunate sexual experiences or indictment for burglary, petit-thieving and arson, rendering them unfit associates for our innocent school children and seriously embarrassing our work.

I desire to suggest that the Defectives, Delinquents and "Border line" cases have no place in our school, and if the state has to afford custodial care for these classes—it should not put the responsibility upon the Boulder School for Backward Children. Many of our children can be, and are trained in the elements of general education afforded by our present system, and can be well cared for in their homes where they are able to help in the general economy of the farm or other activities in which their parents or guardians are engaged. This assertion does not mean that they become entirely self-supporting—or that they are not a dangerous menace as a social

evil in the propagating of their kind. Owing to this social evil it would be a safe guard to society to have such cases, whenever released from the custody of the school, to submit to the law of Sterilization. In fact, for the welfare of the common wealth, this latter suggestion is imperative.

The work in our school classes is simplifical in details to meet the retarded and slow intelligence of our children. But closely appproximates the curriculum that is maped out for normal children. We still maintain special branches, vocal and instruments music and manual training in various forms.

A number of girls have training along Domestic Science lines.

Our asylum department is a division for the lower types, mentally and physcially for whom school instruction is out of place. Yet these are under careful training as regards health habits and domestic life.

Enterainments and amusements have had no small place in the awakening and the excitation along healthful lines of the dulled mental and physical senses of our children.

I am deeply obligated to all my co-workers for loyalty to the service and for the never tiring efforts in working for the welfare of all concerned.

In fine, I desire to thank our many friends who have contributed so freely and abundantly to the happiness of our children.

In conclusion I desire to thank the Board for the many courtesies extended to myself personally, and to add that I fully appreciate the advice and support which you have at all times and on all occasions given to us in our work.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS ALEXANDER SMITH, Director

ARTICLES MADE BY THE SEWING CLASS

26 Dresses	9 Pett-coats
68 Dress Aprons	8 Prs. Bloomers
24 Night Gowns	3 Combination Suits
19 Kitchen aprons	2 Princess Slips
14 Corset covers	1 Middy Blouse

FANCY NEEDLE WORK

2 Prs. Pillow Cases	2 Yoke Crochet
3 Luncheon Cloths	4 Prs. Curtains
12 Dresser Scarfs	10 yds Lace Tatting
3 Towels	50 yds. Lace Bobbin
1 Laundry Bag	

ARTICLES BY INDUSTRIAL CLASS

36 Baskets Rafia	35 Rugs, rag
24 Baskets Reed	24 Rugs, Jute
2 Bird Houses	6 Trays Raffia

Regulations Concerning Admission and Retention of Deaf and Blind Pupils, etc.

SCHOOL FOR DEAF AND BLIND

1. The Montana School for the Deaf and Blind is open to all the deaf and the blind children of the state, between the ages of 6 and 21 who are too deaf or blind to be educated in the common schools.

2. No child who is idiotic, or afflicted with an offensive or contagious disease, or who is an invalid so confirmed as to prevent study will be received.

3. The institution is in on sense an asylum, nor a place of refuge for those who cannot see or hear. It is not an almshouse, an orphan's home or a hospital. It is conducted strictly as an educational institution and is a part of the common school system of the state wherein those who are deaf or blind may receive an education as a matter of right and not of charity.

4. Application for the admission of pupils must be made upon regular blanks of the institution which will be furnished upon request. All questions upon these blanks must be answered in full.

5. No child will be admitted unless he brings a certificate from a regular physician, stating that there has been no communicable disease in the neighborhood from which the child comes, and that he has not been exposed to such disease, within a period of fourteen (14) days. This is to protect us from epidemics.

6. No child should be brought to school as a pupil until the proper application has been filed with, and acted upon by the President and due notice sent by him to the applicant. In the case of indigent pupils, dependent upon county aid, an order of court to that effect as provided by the law (section 1170) must be filled with the President before the admission of such pupils.

Section 1170 reads as follows:—"In all cases where a person to be sent to said school is too poor to pay for necessary clothing and transportation, the Judge of the District Court of the district where such person resides upon application of any relative or friend, or any officer of the county where said person resides, shall, if he deem the person a proper subject, make an order to that effect, which shall be certified by the Clerk of the Court to the President of said school who should then provide the necessary clothing and transportation at the expense of the county, and upon his rendering his proper accounts therefor quarter annually, the County Commissioners shall

allow and pay the same out of the county treasury."

7. The institution will provide for each pupil regularly admitted, board, lodging, laundry, medical attendance, instruction and school supplies, but cannot pay traveling expenses to and from the school or for any clothing. Each pupil upon entering school should be supplied with a sufficient quantity of suitable clothing to last until the close of the school term. The pupil's name should be clearly marked upon article of clothing, as otherwise, there is liability of loss.

8. Parents must furnish postage in all cases and may hear from their children in proportion to the amount furnished. The session lasts about forty weeks. Parents sending us fifty (50 cents) may hear from their children once a week, ten letters and twenty-five postals. Those who do not furnish postage will hear once a month when the monthly report of the pupils' standing in school is sent home, except in case of illness when a report is made daily until the child is out of danger.

9. A contingent fee of \$10 should be deposited in every case to purchase such articles as clothing, shoes, etc., likely to be needed during the session. A strict account will be kept of all expenditures and an itemized statement made at close of the school year. Clothing and shoes may be sent from home or purchased by us here; but nothing will be furnished without the cash beforehand except in the case of county pupils.

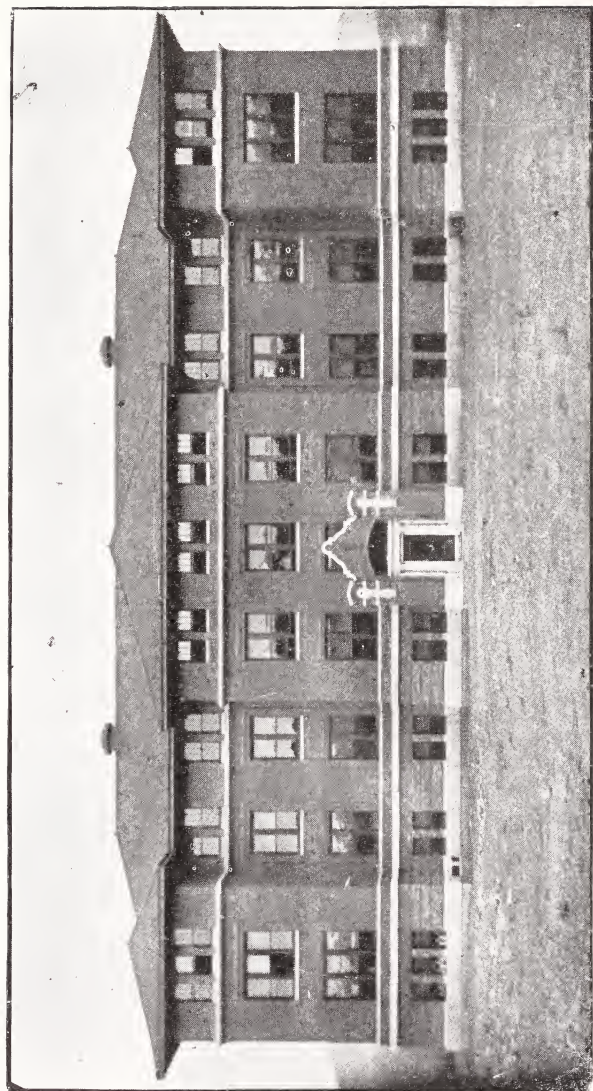
10. The annual session of school begins the second Wednesday in September and closes the second Wednesday in June. No extended holiday will be given at Christmas, and pupils are not allowed to go home unless there are excellent reasons and conditions justifying special permission. Promptness of attendance at the beginning of the session is of the greatest importance.

11. The President shall have power at any time to discharge a pupil from the institution for inability to receive instruction from sickness or other cause or for continued misconduct and disobedience.

12. The institution is non-sectarian, but thoroughly moral, and religious instruction will be given, especially on the Sabbath the nature of it being so general, that it is accepted by all churches and creeds.

13. All business letters of inquiry in regard to pupils or their concerns, or in regard to new pupils must be addressed to the President and not to subordinates, otherwise no attention will be paid to such letters. All money should be sent by express money order or registered letter directly to the President who will acknowledge receipt of same.

14. In the industrial department after a pupil has been assigned a trade to learn such pupil cannot change to another trade unless in the judgement of the President the change would be to the best interests of the pupils.



School Building—Feeble-Minded

MONTANA TRAINING SCHOOL FOR BACKWARD CHILDREN

This school opened November 10, 1895 in the town of Boulder. It is under the same management as the School for the Deaf and the Blind but occupies separate buildings of its own.

Its object is to furnish SPECIAL means of improvement to that portion of our youth who are so deficient in mind, or have such marked peculiarities and eccentricities of intellect as to deprive them of the benefits of other educational institutions and ordinary methods of instruction.

The education proposed will not only include the simple elements of instruction taught in common schools, where that is possible but will embrace a course of training in the more practical matters of every-day life, the cultivation of habits of cleanliness, propriety, self-reliance and the development and enlargement of a capacity for useful work. To promote these objects, pupils will receive such physical education, and such moral and hygienic treatment as their peculiar and varied conditions demand.

Mental imbecility depends upon some abnormal or imperfectly developed condition of the physical system, a condition in which the nervous organization is especially defective—preventing the harmonious and natural development of the mental powers.

The feeble-minded are generally feeble in body as well as mind. They are wanting in muscular and nervous power, the gait and voluntary movements are generally awkward and slow, and the special senses undeveloped or inactive. Physical training and physical development will, therefore, be essential to permanent mental improvement, and hence the importance of gymnastic and calisthenic exercise in treatment. The reciprocal influence of the body over the mind, and the mind over the body must be carefully studied and applied. The dormant energies of the body must be roused to action by every possible means. The wayward muscles are to be taught to move in obedience to the dim spark of will that may exist. The will must be strengthened and developed. The very feeble power of attention must be cultivated and increased by the most active means. The affections must be nursed, the special senses trained and educated, vicious habits are to be corrected, and the idea of obedience and moral obligation must be planted and nourished.

Some children who are merely backward and remain undeveloped from being misunderstood, neglected or abused, can, by special means, be brought out and reclaimed. Others can be arrested on their downward course, and made orderly, obedient, affectionate, docile and industrious; and nearly all can be materially improved in their general condition and habits. But in order to secure the realization of these blessings to this afflicted class, they must have the special care, treatment and instruction which cannot be obtained

in the family at home, or private medical practice of by any of the ordinary methods of instruction, but only in some well-directed institution. arranged, furnished and organized for the accomplishment of these objects.

REGULATION CONCERNING ADMISSION TO THE MONTANA TRAINING SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED PERSONS

Montana Training School for Feeble-Minded persons is open to all Feeble-minded minors and adults.

Application for admission may be made to any District Court or to a judge thereof, by either parent of the subject; by any person entitled to its legal custody; by a superintendent of a County Hospital; by any officer of the State Bureau of Child and Animal Protection; by the applicant in person; or by the superintendent of any of the state institutions. After proper hearing, the judge of said district court will then issue an order of committment in accordance with Chapter 102 of the Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly.

The Institution will provide for each person so committed, board, room, laundry, medical attention, instruction, and school supplies.

No inmate may be removed from the institution, permanently or temporarily, except upon a written order from the Superintendent, or upon an order from any District Court of the State the costs of such court action to be borne by the party bringing the action.

Letters and packages for the pupils should be addressed in care "H. J. Menzemer, President."

All other communications address to

H. J. MENZEMER, President,
Montana School for the Deaf and Blind,
Boulder, Montana

Pupils Enrolled

March 1921 to March 1922

DEAF DEPARTMENT

NAME	CITY	CAUSE
Aho, Lillian	Wise River	Unknown
Amann, Frank	Livingston	Meningitis
Baker, Edward	Great Falls	Unknown
Barker, Henry	Butte	Congenital
Barrick, Margaret	Bozeman	Fall
Baumgartner, Robert	Columbus	Adenoids
Blackman, Thelma	Bozeman	Congenital
Bennett, Emil	Maudlow	Fall
Biavaschi, Ida	Butte	Congenital
Bragg, Maxine	Shepherd	Nerves
Breeding, Irene	Choteau	Scarlet Fever
Bubnash, Mary	Great Falls	Fall
Burns, Oliver	Great Falls	Unknown
Burns, William	Great Falls	Measles
Chinadle, Adella	Hingham	Unknown
Chinadle, Helen	Hingham	Unknown
Christe, Ethel	Bozeman	Mastoid
Colwell, Irene	Miles City	Unknown
Custer, Earl	Belt	Instruments at birth
Davies, Elsie	Butte (Walkerville)	Congenital
Drinville, George	Neihart	Scarlet Fever
Farthing, Nettie	Shawmut	Abscess
Frazier, Mona	Missoula	Congenital
Gilliam, William	Pony	Unknown
Goldizen, Olive	Kalispell	Congenital
Harrington, Teresa	Butte	Abscess
Herbold, Fulton	Benchland	Congenital
Herbold, Walter	Benchland	Congenital
Hill, Katie	Butte	Unknown
Howard, Lewis	Stevensville	Unknown
Johnson, Helen	Tarkio	Scarlet Fever
Johnson, Raymond	Boyd	Congenital
Krumm, Evelyn	Coffee Creek	Syphilis
Kupfer, Edna	Bonner	Congenital
Lien, Alvin	Brockton	Unknown
Maine, Mary	Livingston	Meningitis
Manza, Laura	Butte	Congenital
Martin, Margaret	Butte	Influenza
Mattson, Lilly	Helena	LaGrippe
McPherson, Bessie	Centerville	Congenital
Molyneaux, Myrtle	Chinook	Unknown
Mayer, Edward	Anaconda	Instruments at birth
Nace, Elmer	Hathaway	Paralysis
Nader, Ruby	Shepherd	Paralysis
Nagel, John	Huntley	Unknown
Nickerson, Henry	Willow Creek	Scarlet Fever
Nickerson, Evelyn	Willow Creek	Scarlet Fever
Noyd, Bertha	Waterloo	Congenital
Olbu, Ole	Missoula	Unknown
Olson, Edward	Judith Jap	Abscess
Park, Helen	Missoula	Unknown
Parr, Montana	Basin	Meningitis
Patrick, Chester	Jefferson island	Whooping Cough

Phelps, Esabelle	Big Timber	Unknown
Pearson, Hazel	Superior	Fall
Peterson, Delbert	Billings	Accident
Posposil, Rudolph	Roy	Unknown
Post, Floyd	Castle Rock	Unknown
Pouliot, Lillian	Bozeman	Unknown
Redmond, Faye	Choteau	Cleft Palate
Raineri, Julia	Black Eagle	Congenital
Remington, Robert	Dixon	Adenoids
Renner, Adolph	Box Elder	Congenital
Revelle, Lloyd	Powell, Wyo.	Congenital
Sayers, Mary Ann	Medicine Lake	Whooping Cough
Schoenberg, Harry	Billings	Unknown
Schoenberg, Maurice	Billings	Unknown
Seller, Edwin	Plevna	Abscess
Sloan, Marion	Helena	Scarlet Fever
Smidt, Gertrude	Columbus	Congenital
Sparks, George	Missoula	Throat Trouble
Thomas, Arthur	Troy	Congenital
Tilden, Harry	Dixon	Scarlet Fever
Trask, Roberta	Bozeman	Congenital
Tuggle, Roy	Fromberg	Mumps
Tularski, Stepha	Terry	Neuralgia
Vandecar, Delos	Corbin	Unknown
Whinnery, Nola	Great Falls	Mastoid
Wilhelm, Edith	Loomont	Meningitis
Wilson, Clarence	Gebo, Wyoming	Injury
Wood, Leylan	Helena	Whooping Cough
Yaeger, May	Glengarry	Meningitis
Yaeger, William	Glengarry	Meningitis

BLIND DEPARTMENT

NAME	CITY	COUNTY
Antelope, John	Fort Belknap	Ft. Belnap Res.
Callahan, Patsy	Missoula	Missoula
Cummings, Everett	Butte	Silver Bow
Ferguson, Harold	Livingston	Park
Gohn, Robert	Virginia City	Madison
Goodwin, Bert	Flaxville	Daniels
Hammond, Taylor	Hamilton	Ravalli
Heffern, Frank	Butte	Silver Bow
Hayward, Val	Circle	McCone
Jensen, Alma	Mona	Richland
Jones, Viva	Miles City	Custer
Jones, Pearl	Miles City	Custer
Kaufman, Chas.	Baker	Fallon
Keeland, Ethel	Richey	Dawson
Lambert, Junior	Kalispell	Flathead
Luhman, Henry	Miles City	Custer
Mikkelson, Andy	Alberton	Missoula
Mitchell, Audrey	Coffee Creek	Fergus
Neilsen, Louise	Howard	Rosebud
Oppel, Sophia	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Patterson, Maxine	Butte	Silver Bow
Payne, John	Toston	Broadwater

Roberts, Jacob	Gibson	Sweet Grass
Schoeberg, Oscar	Neihart	Cascade
Selon, John	Corwin Spring	Park
Shields, Hugh	Laurel	Yellowstone
Spoelder, Herman	Bole	Teton
Spoonemore, Esther	Townsend	Broadwater
Sprague, Mildred	Box Elder	Hill
Swanson, Hilda	Farmington	Teton
Watt, Ernest	Bozeman	Gallatin
Zunich, Joe	Butte	Silver Bow

DEPARTMENT FOR BACKWARD CHILDREN

NAME	CITY	COUNTY
Albrecht, Elizabeth	Big Fork	Flathead
Alvora, Virginia	Glasgow	Valley
Antonich, John	Great Falls	Cascade
Barker, Leslie	Townsend	Broadwater
Barrick, Alfred	Great Falls	Cascade
Barrick, Alpha	Great Falls	Cascade
Batz, Ella	Judith Gap	Wheatland
Baumgartner, Werner	Billings	Yellowstone
Belgrade, Bob	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Bennett, Cora	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Black, Warren	Stanford	Judith Gap
Black, Wilber	East Helena	Lewis and Clark
Bollinger, Duane	Blaine	Madison
Bowlsby, Della	Red Lodge	Carbon
Brown, Robert	Stockett	Cascade
Bryant, Hazel	Terry	Prairie
Burnett, William	Luther	Carbon
Caddy, Samuel	Butte	Silver Bow
Calicoat, Eugene	Browning	Glacier
Cantfield, Dotha	Buffalo	Judith Basin
Castleman, Billie	Butte	Silver Bow
Chamberlain, Marine	Terry	Prairie
Cheurlein, Velma	Butte	Silver Bow
Colenso, Albert	Butte	Silver Bow
Cole, Lauren	Big Sandy	Chouteau
Corey, George	Dodson	Phillips
Corey, Wilda	Dodson	Phillips
Cramer, Henerieta	Custer	Yellowstone
Cummings, Francis	Hardin	Carbon
Culbertson, Donald	Austin	Powell
Cooper, Paul	Missoula	Missoula
Cummings, Meagher	Chinook	Blaine
Curley, Samuel	St. Ignace	Missoula
Daugherty, Lola	Livingston	Park
Denny, Robert	Butte	Silver Bow
Dechamps, Lewis	Missoula	Missoula
DeBriun, William	Fort Benton	Chouteau
DeFrance, Gilbert	Reed Point	Stillwater
DeYarmon, Gordon	Judith Gap	Wheatland
Duffield, Merle	Billings	Yellowstone
Douglas, Madaline	Missoula	Richland
Elkins, Pearl	Fairview	Missoula

Eberhart, Charles	Lewistown	Fergus
Engbretson, Hilda	Ramsey	Silver Bow
Eithema, Helisel	Roundup	Musselshell
Eveland, Everett	Billings	Yellowstone
Eveland, Geraldine	Billings	Yellowstone
Fugle, Marie	Great Falls	Cascade
Flory, William	Ranch Creek	Powder River
Gunther, Earl	Camas Hot Springs	Sanders
Hankinson, Lester	Willow Creek	Gallatin
Hart, Florence	Butte	Silver Bow
Hauch, Thomas	Butte	Silver Bow
Henderson, William	Butte	Silver Bow
Henion, Gethel	Perma	Sanders
Higbie, Thomas	Red Lodge	Carbon
Holland, John	Butte	Silver Bow
Hynds, Harold	Jordan	Garfield
Jenkins, Charles	Three Forks	Gallatin
Johnson, Clarence	Polson	Flathead
Kelly, Andrew	Ekalaka	Hill
Kelly, Hazel	Havre	Chouteau
Kennedy, Howard	Plains	Sanders
Kihm, Raymond	Billings	Yellowstone
Kimball, Horace	Woodville	Jefferson
Knight, Emmalina	Great Falls	Cascade
Kunkel, Annie	Billings	Yellowstone
Koprivica, Zorke	Butte	Silver Bow
Lasater, Margaret	Livingston	Park
Latinen, Tiny	Butte	Silver Bow
Lane, Helen	Lavina	Golden Valley
Leggo, William	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Leistikio, John	Livingston	Park
Leistikio, Otto	Livingston	Park
Lenhart, Arthur	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Lynds, Roy	Hysham	Treasure
Marshall, Twila	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Matlock, Ruth	Great Falls	Cascade
McAllister, Sally	Bozeman	Gallatin
McKevitt, Edward	Kalispell	Flathead
McGuinn, Aileen	Lewistown	Fergus
Meiers, Ardath	Whitefish	Flathead
Mechler, Eleanor	Galata	Toole
Meloy, Earl	Anaconda	Deer Lodge
Mikkelsen, Rasmus	Virginia City	Madison
Miller, Otho	Wisdom	Beaverhead
Miller, Viola	Creston	Flathead
Mitchell, Fern	Butte	Silver Bow
Mitchell, Walter	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Mizer, Roy	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Myhre, Lillian	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Nadeau, Stella	Choteau	Teton
Nasby, Sophia	Hamblin	McCone
Nelson, George	Missoula	Missoula
O'Leary, Ralph	Butte	Silver Bow
Olmstead, Henry	Galata	Toole
Olson, Otto	Big Timber	Sweet Grass
Ormsby, Florence	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Osborne, Lloyd	Enid	Richland
Pagel, Vern Rex	Williams	Pondera
Rey, Ernest	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Rice, Bessie	Logan	Gallatin
Riley, George	Livingston	Park
Roll, Waldo	Gopher	Rosebud
Roy, Alonzo	Lewistown	Fergus

Schwab, Mary	Missoula	Missoula
Spall, Stephen	Belt	Cascade
Rosenfelder, Ernest	Twin Bridges	Madison
Ryggs, Herbert	Butte	Silver Bow
Reynolds, Robert	Billings	Yellowstone
Sager, Margaret	Deer Lodge	Powell
Saley, Annie	Great Falls	Cascade
Schauers, Godfrey	Kalispell	Flathead
Schifflett, Marion	Fortine	Lincoln
Schifflett, Sylvester	Fortine	Lincoln
Sievers, Mary	Kalispell	Flathead
Skinner, Myrtle	Malta	Philips
Smiley, Ottis	Plains	Sanders
Smith, Lola	Butte	Silver Bow
Somers, Rena	Missoula	Missoula
Sousen, Mary	Shelby	Toole
Sprague, Lola	Box Elder	Hill
Sprague, Anabel	Box Elder	Hill
Sprague, Godfrey	Box Elder	Hill
Stephens, Verne	Cutbank	Teton
Straight, Esther	Twin Bridges	Madison
Slater, Ruth	Gulldford	Hill
Skary, Myrtle	Missoula	Missoula
Sundt, John	Athens	Flathead
Tnaschek, Adolph	Fromberg	Carbon
Templeman, Edith	Kalispell	Flathead
Theline, Astred	Butte	Silver Bow
Thornberg, Irene	Sand Creek	McCone
Trinder, Thomas	Poplar	Roosevelt
Urevig, Margaret	Ingonar	Rosebud
VanWagnen, Etta	Eureka	Yellowstone
Walters, William	Miles City	Custer
Weber, Irene	Butte	Silver Bow
West, Leo	Springdale	Park
Wichael, James	Wibaux	Wibaux
Wicks, Willie	Butte	Silver Bow
Wilson, Robert	Whitefish	Flathead
Whitcomb, Effie	Helena	Lewis and Clark
Wolcott, Mabel	Missoula	Missoula
Wolfe, DeMarkus	Livingston	Park
William, Joseph	Butte	Silver Bow
Wart, Harold	Thompson Falls	Sanders
Young, Miles	Terry	Prairie
Zier, Elizabeth	Howard	Rosebud
Zwieg, Dorothy	Huntley	Yellowstone



